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Scott. IX-27.—45,000—15-11-35.

Revenue (1936) Department.

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G.O. No. 1176

DATED 28/3/36

[Despatch Abstract.]

Irrigation – (Bellary) – Bevavanahal channel scheme – Maximum rates of water cess – Reduction – Considered unnecessary at present – Inclusion of lands in the agency. – Agent Register and Permits Report awaited

no. 3702 03 84-1 d. 19-9-84

Irrigation - (Bellary - Baravanahalli entrance channel - Question of agreement to obtain rights/consents.

The Board of Revenue is requested to submit as early as possible the report promised in paragraph 2 of its letter no. 187-32-11 (Cyclone) dated 8-6-84.

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Revenue - DEPARTMENT.

CURRENT No. 2314B

Received -5 JUN 1935 19 Registered 5.6.35 19

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Subject.

Irrigation - (Bellary) - Basavannah and Roya channels - Kamalapuram tank

Fixation of ayacut

ENCLOSURES.
No.
Spare copies

Reference-No.H.2880/34.1,

Station Madras *Dated the* 1st June 1935.

From M.K.Vellodi, Esquire, I.C.S.,

Joint Secretary, Land Revenue. and

~~The~~ Board of Revenue, ~~Revenue~~ Settlement, ~~etc.~~

~~Separate Revenue.~~

M.R.Ry., Diwan Bahadur N.Gopalaswami Aiyengar Avargal, C.I.E.,
Commissioner of Land Revenue and Settlement.

~~Resolution~~

~~Reference.~~ ad the following paper:-

Memorandum from Government, Revenue Department, No.3702 B/34.1 dated the 19th September 1934.

II

Letter from T.Bhaskara Rao Esquire, I.C.S., Collector of Bellary, C.No.47/33 Confdl., dated the 18th May 1935.

REFERENCE.

The further report promised by the Collector is awaited.

2. The Board observes that the question has been pending with the Executive Engineer from a very long time. The Collector is requested to obtain, at a very early date, the Executive Engineer's report and submit to the Board a full

(2)

and complete report in the matter.

N Somasekhara Rao
for Joint Secretary. 5/6

To the Collector of Bellary.

Copy to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department with an extract of paragraph 3 of Collector's lett 31st July 1934.

c.n.n./4-6-1935.

Letter from T.Bhaskara Rao Esquire, I.C.S., Collector of Bellary C.No.47/33 Confdl., dated the 18th May 1935.

Refce.- Board's D.O.No.257 dated the 10th May 1935.

The report called for from the Executive Engineer Bellary, regarding the fixation of ayacut and issue of permits is still awaited. He will again be reminded to send his reply as early as possible. I shall send my reply as soon as his report is received.

2. Most of the pattadars and owners of lands under - sluice Nos.16/2, 18/3, 18/6, 19/5 and 19/6 excluding the absentee pattadars were enquired into and their statements have also been obtained. They say that they are not willing to take the -- water of the channel paying a water cess of Rs.11/- per acre but are willing to do so only if water cess of Rs.4/- per acre is charged. In this connection I invite the Board's attention to paragraph 3 of my C.No.47/32 Confidential dated the 31st July 1934 in reply to Board's D.O.No.435 Confidential dated the 25th July 1934.

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Extract of paragraph 3 of the letter from the Hon'ble Mr.F.W. Stewart, C.I.E., I.C.S., District Collector, Bellary C.No.47/32 Confdl., dated the 31st July 1934.

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3. It is proving impossible to consider the factor of ryots' consent as of first importance because practically none consent

consent and if any progress is to be made this must be superseded by an estimate of the probability of the ryots whose lands are commandable from a particular sluice -- taking the water after the distribution to blocks of 150 acres and lands for them to make lesser distributories to blocks of 25 acres have been provided by Government. Whe this is done it is much more likely that ryots will appl for permits and be more amenable as to the price of the water. A further report will be sent on receipt of replies from the Revenue Divisional Officer, Hospet and the Executive Engineer, Bellary.

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Revenue Deptt

Memo No. 3702 B/34-3 dt 11.6.35

Irrigation - (Bellary) -
Hospet taluk Basavanna
channel Raya channel
and Kamalapuram tank -
Fixation of ayacut and
obtaining consents.

Board's reference
No. H. 2880/M.1 dt 1-6-35.

In para 2 of ~~this~~ the
letter (1) No. 47/33 (confl.) dt 18.5.35
(submitted by the Board of
Revenue with its reference
cited above), the
Collector ~~of Bellary~~ has
stated that the "ryots" are
not willing to take the
water of the channel
paying a water-cess of Rs 11/-
per acre but are willing
to do so only if water-cess
of Rs 4/- per acre is charged
~~The attention of the Board~~
~~is invited to~~ under rule II (a), (i)
of the rules for the levy of

water-cess issued in Go.
No. 2592 R dy 13-12-1934,
~~in which the Govt. have~~
~~fixed~~ the rate of water-cess payable for a first crop is
~~at~~ Rs 10 ~~per acre~~ & not Rs 11 as stated by the Collr.
under rule III of the same rules, the rate of waterces payable during the
~~Govt. have also fixed certain~~ first four years is ¼, ¼, ¼
~~Command rate of water-cess~~ & ¾ of the ~~full~~ rate respectively.
~~for regular irrigation for the~~
~~first four years. The Board~~ In para 2 of G.O. No.
~~is requested to lay this facts~~ 1452 Rev (Confdl) dy 25.7.34,
~~before the Collector of Bellary~~ the Board was requested to (8)
submit a report, six months
before the rate of Rs 10 was due
to come in, whether in view of the

trend of prices of the
development of irrigation
the maximum rate
~~shd~~ ought to be introduced.
It will thus be seen that
the maximum rate, ~~is~~ of Rs 10
~~to be~~ introduced only in
gradual stages. The
Board of Rev is requested
to point out these facts

To
The Board of Revenue

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Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

CURRENT No. 4576B

Received ..... 19. *Registered* 11.11.35 19

Subject.

Irrigation (Bellary)- Hasavannah Extension Channel -Scheme- Inclusion of lands in ayacut- Consent of ryots- Report- Submitted-

ENCLOSURES.
No. .....
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Ref.H. No. 3791/35-1

Station Madras. *Dated the* 7-11-35. 19

From

M.K. Vellodi Esq., I.C.S.,
Joint Secretary. Land Revenue.

The Board of Revenue, ~~Revenue~~ Settlement, etc.
~~Separate Revenue.~~

M.R.Ry. Dewan Bahadur N. Govalaswami Ayyangar Avl., C.I.E., Commr. of Land Revenue & Settlement.

Resolution
Reference.

Government Memorandum No.3702-B/34-1 Revenue Dept. dated 19th September 1935.

ii. Letter from T. Bhaskara Rao Esq., I.C.S., Collector of Bellary, Confdl. No.45/35 dated 15-10-35.

Reference

Submitted to the Government with reference to their Memorandum read above.

2. In the circumstances reported, the Board agrees with the views expressed in para 2 of the Collector's letter.

3. The further report promised by the Collector is awaited

N Srinivasa Rao 9/11
For Joint Secretary.

To the Secretary to the Government, Revenue Dept.

" the Collector of Bellary.

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Letter from T. Bhaskara Rao Esq., I.C.S., Collector of Bellary Confidential No.45/35 dated 19th October,35:

Ref:- Para 4 of Board's No. 2880/34-3, dated 10-8-35

Under Rule II (a) (1) of the rules for the levy of water cess issued in G.O.No. 2592 Revenue dated 13-12-34, the rate of water cess payable for a first crop is Rs.10/- per acre. Under rule III of the same rules, the rate of water cess payable during the first four years is 1/4, 1/4, 1/2 and 3/4 of that rate respectively. The Revenue Divisional Officer, Hospet reports that the ryots request that the maximum rate of water cess may be fixed at Rs.7/- instead of Rs.10/- that Rs.2/8/- per acre may be charged for the 1st two years and Rs.5/- per acre during the next two years and Rs.7/- from the fifth year onwards.

2. In their order No.1452 Revenue dated 25-7-34, the Government have asked the Board to report 6 months before the beginning of the fasli in which the maximum rate of Rs.10/- is due whether in view of the trend in prices and the development of irrigation the maximum rate should be introduced. The Chief Engineer for Irrigation Madras reported in his letter No.917/32 C-18 dated 18-3-35 (vide Board's Endorsement H.847/35 dated 6-4-35) that the works relating to the Basavannah Channel extension scheme would be completed by July 1936. The rules for the levy of water Cess issued in G.O. No.2592 Revenue dated 13-12-34 will take effect only from the fasli in which water is allowed for irrigation from the channel. If water is allowed from 1st July 1936 (Fasli 1346), the maximum rate of Rs.10/- becomes collectable in Fasli 1350 (1940-41). As

As the maximum rate of Rs.10/- cannot be introduced without a further recommendation from the Board and as demand for water will be known only after progress is watched from time to time, it is premature to consider at present whether any reduction in the maximum rate of water cess as desired by the ryots is necessa

3. The verification of ayacut registers is pending with the Tahsildar of Hospet and I shall submit a separate report in the matter.

C.F. 31—13,206—14-12-35.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

ASSISTANT SECRETARY TO GOVT. 8-MAY 1936 REVENUE DEPARTMENT

CURRENT No. 2140B

Received _____ 19 *Registered* 8-5-36 19

Subject.

Irrigation -(Bellary) - Basavannah extension channel scheme - inclusion of lands in ayacut - Ayacut register and permit -Report submitted.

Reference No. H. 3791/35-3

Station Madras _____ 1936.

From

D.I.R.Muir Esq., I.C.S.,

Joint Secretary,

Board of Revenue.

M.R.Ry. Diwan Bahadur N.Gopalaswami Ayyangar Avl., C.I.E.,
Commissioner of Land Revenue and Settlement.

Read the following:

Letter from T.Bhaskara Rao Esq., I.C.S., Collector of Bellary No. Ref. confdl. 45/A.2 dated 27-4-1936 -

Irrigation -(Bellary district) - Basavanna extension channel scheme -inclusion of lands in ayacut - ayacut register and permit .maintenance report.

Ref;- Para 3 of Board's No. H. 3791/35-1 dated 7-11-35

The Executive Engineer, Bellary states that the ayacut registers under the Basavanna extension channel scheme have been prepared and that standing permits can be issued for dry lands only from 1937 after the Mukarthi Odai aqueduct is constructed for supplementing the supply in Roya channel.

Reference

Submitted to Government in continuation of Board's Reference No. H. 3791-35-1 dated 7-11-35.

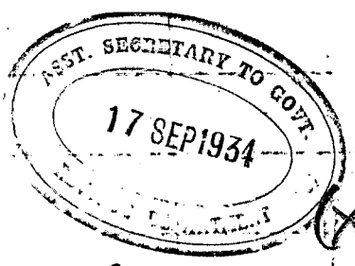
2. The Collector is requested to submit a further report after the completion of the Mukarthi Odai aqueduct.

N Srinivasa Rao
for Joint Secretary, 7-5.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department

Revenue Deptt.

Irrigation – (Bellary) – Basavanna channel – fixation of water cess & obtaining consent.



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Call on f/o. 1452 Rev., d. 25-7-34.

(Con. 4561 B/35) From the Bd of Rev., Lds Report H. No. 3791/35-7, dy 7-11-35

To. Dept Secy

In Go. No. 1452 Revenue, dy 25.7.1934 the Govt published for criticism draft rules for the levy of water-cess for the irrigation of crops in the Hospet taluk of the Bellary District with water from the Basavannah Channel (including the extension Channel) the Raya channel and the Kamalapuram tank. The circumstances leading up to the issue of the rules are explained in the preamble to the notification appended to that Gr. ~~Proposal~~ A water-cess of Rs 11 per acre for a first crop was necessary to make the scheme remunerative, but as the Govt found that the soil in the area was poor and the country undulating and in places rocky, a rate of Rs 10 per acre was fixed. In order to encourage rapid

development of irrigation and help the ryots to meet the cost of preparing the land for irrigation, it was provided in the rules that concessional rates would be charged during the first four years of irrigation on lands to be newly brought under irrigation. In para 2 of Go. No 1452 Rev: Dy 25.7.24 the Board was also asked to submit a report six months before the beginning of the fasli in which the full rate of Rs 10 was due to come in, whether in view of the trend of prices and the development of irrigation the maximum rate should be introduced No objections or suggestions in respect of the draft rules for the levy of water-cess were received, and the draft rules were confirmed in Go. No. 2592 Rev: Dy 13.12.1924.

When the draft rules for the levy of water-cess were under consideration, the Government in Memo. No. 2606 By 31-9 Dy 7.12.1923 asked the Board to report the stage of the work relating to the localisation and fixation of the ayacut under the Roya channel

Kamalapuram tank and the Basavannah channel, and whether the ryots consent to the inclusion of their lands in the ayacut on the terms proposed had been obtained. In its reference No. H. 187/32-11 dy 8.6.32 the Board forwarded a letter from the CE I, ~~Godavaripadmanaga~~ Containing a report from the Executive Engineer, on the stage of the work on 20.4.32, and stated that a further report on the subject would be submitted on receipt of the Collector's reply to a reference made to him in its No. H. 187/32-10 dy 8.5.1934. In June 1935 the Board submitted a copy of a reference issued by it to the Collector asking him to submit a full report in the matter at an early date, and along with it a copy of the Collector's letter dy 18.5.1935. In that letter it was stated that the ryots were not willing to take water from the channel paying a water-cess of Rs 11 an acre, but were willing to do so only if water-cess of Rs 4 per acre was charged. In the last memo on pages 7-8 of the Board was

asked to point out the facts as
at A at pages 1-2 and to the Collector,
and explain to him the correct
position

In its reference at pages 9-10
of the Board has submitted the
further report of the Collector in the
matter ~~Bombay Secretariat Office~~,
~~Hospet stated to have reported about~~
the ryots request that the maximum
rate of water-cess should be fixed at
Rs 7 instead of at Rs 10, that Rs 2-8-
per acre should be charged for the
first 2 years, and Rs 5 per acre
during the next two years, and
the full rate of Rs 7 from the fifth
year onwards. The rates for the
first three years according to this
request are the same as the
concessional rates contemplated in
Rule III of the rules for the levy of
water-cess. The Coll. states that
the rules will take effect from the
fasli in which water is allowed
for irrigation from the channel,
and that the scheme is expected
to be completed by the beginning
of fasli 1346. ~~Accordingly~~ The

maximum rate of Rs 10 will become
Collectable in Fasli 1350 (1940-41)
As the maximum rate of Rs 10/-
cannot be introduced without a
further recommendation from the
Board, and as demand for water will
be known only after progress is watched
from time to time the Collr states
that it is premature to consider at
present whether any reduction in the
maximum rate of water-cess is necessary
The Board agrees with the Collector
No action seems necessary at present

2. The Collector has promised to
send a further report on the
suspension of ayacut registers The
receipt of the report (may be awaited.
with the Bd's remarks
Put 2 may see

(Circ. 2140 B/36) From the Board of
Revenue Reference No. H.3791/35-3 dt 5-5-36. pp 13-14 cf

To. Book Secy

Please see the notes on pages 1-5 above and the further report from the Board on pages 13-14 cf. It is submitted that orders on para 2 of the Board's reference on page 9 cf may now be issued, and the further report promised in para 2 of its reference on page 14 cf may be awaited

A draft order is submitted for approval. PWD may see before issue

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PWD.

(Compl)

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22 MAY 1936
REVENUE DEPARTMENT

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To Under Secy

The draft order may issue

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Please see the note at f/p 1-5 above.

The draft order is for approval.

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Revenue Deptt

Memo. No. 44643/36-1

Irrigation - (Bellary) -
Basavanna Channel -
Fixation of ayacut and
obtaining Consents
Go. No. 1176 Rev. dt 20.11.36.

The Board of Revenue
is requested to state when
the report referred to
in para 2 of the Go. quoted
above may be expected.

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PK
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Has the Nukala
Odai agreement
been completed?
It seems to me too
soon to remind the
Bd - see Amp 13
of the Jo. PK
3.10.36

C.F. 304—3,500 Bks.—16-9-35.

OFFICE OF THE Rev. Secty.

Dated _____ 193

_____ Hours _____ Minutes.

ELEPHONIC MESSAGE

From Dve. 1st Asst. Bd

To The Supt Rev.

Your T.m. d. 6.8.36. re Irrigation Tubbagy Basavanna Ettahan Channel Scheme, ch Reply

It is not known whether the agreements of the Mukarthi Gowdas have been completed or not. The Collr was asked to report on the points on 5-8-36. He has asked the Ex. Engr. for the information. The Collr has been reminded. 7/

Rev: Deptt

To. Bott Secy.

Please see Bott Secy remarks on page 1 ante and the Tm. above.

The papers may be lodged

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and attached with Cr. No. 1176 Kas

by 28.5.1936 a call being entered

against 8.1.1937

8.10.36

CR No. 95/37

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Revenue DEPARTMENT.

CURRENT No. 5369 B

Received 27 NOV 1936 19 *Registered* 27-11-36. 19

Subject.

Irrigation - (Bellary) Basavannah extension channel scheme - Mukurthi odai aqueduct - Completion report -Submitted.

Endt. H. No. 1984/36

Station Madras, *Dated the* 23rd November 19 36

From

D.I.R. Muir Esq., I.C.S.,

Joint Secretary,

Board of Revenue.

C.A. Henderson Esq., V.D., I.C.S.,
Commissioner of Land Revenue & Settlement.

Read the following paper:-

Letter from A.G. Blake Esq., I.C.S., Collector of Bellary,

Ref. C.No.45/36 Confdl. dated 15-11-1936.

Irrigation -Major -Hospet taluk - Basavanna extension scheme
Issue of standing permits - Report.

Board's H.No.1984/36-2 dated 17-10-1936.

The Executive Engineer Bellary reports that the aqueduct ver the Mukurthi Odai has been completed. He states that the ssue of standing permits under the new Basavannah channel will e completed before 1-1-37.

Endorsement.

Endorsement :

Submitted to the Government with reference to para 2 of their order No.1176 Revenue, dated 28-5-36. (T)

for Joint Secretary. 25/11

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.

VN/24.11.36 25/11

(Circ S. 369 B/36)

Irrigation - (Bellary) - Basavanna Kalva extension Channel Scheme - Mukarthi Odai agreement - Completion report

From the Board of Revenue

Endt. H. No. 1984/36 dy 23-11-1936

To. Govt Secy

Please see the Board's report on pages 13-14 of Go. No. 1176 Rev: dy 28-5-1936, para 2 of the order on page 24 ibid, and the Board's Endt in the CF. No achai on the Board's Endt in the CF seems necessary. It may be lodged and stitched with Go. No. 1176 Rev: dy 28.5.1936.

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C.F. 31—13,206—14-12-35.

REVENUE **DEPARTMENT.**

CURRENT No. 1648F

Received [illegible] 1937 19 *Registered* 9 3 37 19

Subject.

Irrigation - Minor - Bellary District - Hospet Taluk - Basavanna Extension channel - Issue of standing permits - Completed - Report submitted -

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Rfce No. Mis.765

Station Madras, *Dated the* 4th March, 1937

From

D.I.R. Muir Esq.,
Jt. Secretary,
Board of Revenue.

C.A. Henderson Esq., V.D., I.C.S.,
Commissioner of Land Rev. & Settlement

Letter from A.G. Blake Esq., I.C.S., Collector, Bellary, Rfce D.Dis.No.45/36 Confdl. dt.26--2--1937.

Irrigation - Minor - Bellary District - Hospet Taluk - Basavanna Extension channel - Issue of standing permits - Completed - report submitted -

Ref.-Board's Refce.H.No.2880/34-3 dt.10-8-1935.

The work of verification of the ayacut registers and the issue of permits have been completed.

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Submitted to the Government in continuation of the Board's endorsement No.H 1984-36 dated 23-11-1936.

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Go 1176 (T)
28-5-36

Ramachandran
For Joint Secretary.

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To the Secretary to the Government,
Revenue Department.

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(C no 1048F/37)

Irrigation – Minor – (Bellary) – Hospet taluk – Basavannahi Extension Canal – Issue of standing permits – Completion report.

From the Board of Revenue

CF Rcpee. No. Mis. 765 dy 4. 3. 1937.

To. under Secy.

In 1935 the Board of Revenue submitted a report of the Collr of Bellary stating that it was pp 9-12 g (T) premature to consider any reduction in the ultimate rates of water-cess for irrigation from the Basavannahi channel para 2 p 12 g (T) (including the Extension channel) the Raya channel and the Kamalapuram tank in the Hospet taluk, Bellary dist, as requested by the ryots. The Collr also promised a further report on the verification of ayacut registers. The Collr's para 3 p 12 g (T) report and the Board's remarks thereon were examined in the rlts at pays 15-19 of Go. No. 1176 Rev: dy 28-5-1936. The further report promised by the Collr was awaited.

2. In May 1936 the Collr reported that the ayacut registers under

the Basavannah extension channel scheme had been prepared and that standing permits could be issued for dry lands from 1937 after the Markanti Odai aqueduct was constructed for supplementing the supply in Roya chan The Board asked the Coll to submit a further report after the completion of the Markanti Odai aqueduct In Go. No. 1176 Rev: dy 28.5.1936 the Government passed orders on the question of the restriction of water-cess and in para 2 of that Go. they awaited the further report called for from the Coll by the Board.

3. In November 1936 the Coll reported that the Markanti aqueduct had been completed and that the issue of standing permits would be completed before 1-1-1937. No further action on the subject was considered necessary and the papers were lodged - vide notes at p 31 of Go. No 1176 Rev: dy 28.5.1936.

4. In its reference re the CF the Board has now submitted the report of the Collector that the work of verification of the ayacut registers

and the issue of permits have been completed no further action seems necessary. May be lodged and attached with Co. No 1176 Res: of 28.5.36

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